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Applicant : Robert Lance Cook

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT DATED AUGUST 12, 2009

Dear Sirs:

Applicants hereby elect Species A (claims 3, 28, 31, and 45) without traverse. Non-elected claims are withdrawn without prejudice or disclaimer.

No extensions of time or fees, beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper, should be required. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary, such extensions are petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a). If any fees are inadvertently omitted or if any additional fees are required or have been overpaid, please appropriately charge or credit those fees to Deposit Account Number 03-2769 (ref. 2725-12503) of Conley Rose, P.C., Houston, Texas.

Respectfully submitted,

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